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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted 01/22/2008 CNEBIA 00000000 503013 10776521
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed 405.00 DA
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed _____
- iii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☒ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s): (i) Declaration of the Inventors under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 with Exhibits 1-6 executed by Paul Slusarewicz; (ii) Declaration of the Inventors under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 with Exhibits 1-6 executed by Sunil Mehta; and (iii) executed Declaration of Michael A. Yamin, Ph.D. under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 with Exhibits 1-3.
- iii. ☒ Other: (i) a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 with a form entitled "List of References Cited by Applicant" citing References C114 and C115; and (ii) copies of References C114 and C115.

2. **Miscellaneous**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
(Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☒ Other: (i) Declaration For Non-Provisional Application executed by Paul Slusarewicz; (ii) Declaration For Non-Provisional Application executed by Sunil Mehta; (iii) a Request to Correct Inventorship under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a); (iv) Fee Transmittal Sheet for Correction of Inventorship; (v) a Statement of Deleted Inventor Jessica B. Flechtner under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a); (vi) a Statement of Deleted Inventor Sofija Andjelic under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a); (vii) a Statement of Deleted Inventor Brian H. Barber under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a); (viii) a Statement of Deleted Inventor Kenya Prince-Cohane under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a); (ix) an executed Consent of Assignee to Correction of Inventorship under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a); (x) a Substitute Sequence Listing in paper and computer readable forms; (xi) a Transmittal of Substitute Sequence Listing; (xii) Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); and (xiii) an Amendment Fee Transmittal.

3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed

- a. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013:
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e), estimated to be \$ 405.00 (small entity)
- ii. ☒ Extension of time fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17, estimated to be \$ 60.00 (small entity) for a one month extension, the request for which is being made herewith
- iii. ☐ Other _____
- b. ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____ enclosed
- c. ☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

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Signature		Date	January 18, 2008

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